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For:

GENE ENCODING PROTEIN FROM MEROZOITE OF BABESIA CABALLI, RECOMBINANT PROTEIN OBTAINED WITH SAID GENE AND USE THEREOF

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

October 15, 2002 (Tuesday After Columbus Day)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Restriction/Election Requirement in the above-identified application.

Petition for		(	<u>)</u> n	month(s)	extension of			time pursuant	
to 37 C.F.R.	SS	1.17	and	1.136(a)	. :	\$0.00	for	the	extension
of time.				•					

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Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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Respectfully submitted,

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